



### United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

# NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND FEE(S) DUE

21874

7590

12/15/2005

EDWARDS & ANGELL, LLP P.O. BOX 55874 BOSTON, MA 02205 EXAMINER

KOVALICK, VINCENT E

PAPER NUMBER

ART UNIT

'DATE MAILED: 12/15/2005

APPLICATION NO. FILING DATE .		FILING DATE .	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
	09/851.885 05/09/2001		Yasushi Kubota	70904-55845	4328

TITLE OF INVENTION: DATA SIGNAL LINE DRIVE CIRCUIT, DRIVE CIRCUIT, IMAGE DISPLAY DEVICE INCORPORATING THE SAME, AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS USING THE SAME

APPLN, TYPE	SMALL ENTITY ISSUE FEE		PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE	
nonprovisional	NO	\$0	\$0	\$0	03/15/2006	

THE APPLICATION IDENTIFIED ABOVE HAS BEEN EXAMINED AND IS ALLOWED FOR ISSUANCE AS A PATENT. PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS CLOSED. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. THIS APPLICATION IS SUBJECT TO WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE AT THE INITIATIVE OF THE OFFICE OR UPON PETITION BY THE APPLICANT. SEE 37 CFR 1.313 AND MPEP 1308.

THE ISSUE FEE AND PUBLICATION FEE (IF REQUIRED) MUST BE PAID WITHIN THREE MONTHS FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR THIS APPLICATION SHALL BE REGARDED AS ABANDONED. THIS STATUTORY PERIOD CANNOT BE EXTENDED. SEE 35 U.S.C. 151. THE ISSUE FEE DUE INDICATED ABOVE REFLECTS A CREDIT FOR ANY PREVIOUSLY PAID ISSUE FEE APPLIED IN THIS APPLICATION. THE PTOL-85B (OR AN EQUIVALENT) MUST BE RETURNED WITHIN THIS PERIOD EVEN IF NO FEE IS DUE OR THE APPLICATION WILL BE REGARDED AS ABANDONED.

#### HOW TO REPLY TO THIS NOTICE:

I. Review the SMALL ENTITY status shown above.

If the SMALL ENTITY is shown as YES, verify your current SMALL ENTITY status:

A. If the status is the same, pay the TOTAL FEE(S) DUE shown above.

B. If the status above is to be removed, check box 5b on Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal and pay the PUBLICATION FEE (if required) and twice the amount of the ISSUE FEE shown above, or

If the SMALL ENTITY is shown as NO:

A. Pay TOTAL FEE(S) DUE shown above, or

B. If applicant claimed SMALL ENTITY status before, or is now claiming SMALL ENTITY status, check box 5a on Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal and pay the PUBLICATION FEE (if required) and 1/2 the ISSUE FEE shown above.

II. PART B - FEE(S) TRANSMITTAL should be completed and returned to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with your ISSUE FEE and PUBLICATION FEE (if required). Even if the fee(s) have already been paid, Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal should be completed and returned. If you are charging the fee(s) to your deposit account, section "4b" of Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal should be completed and an extra copy of the form should be submitted.

III. All communications regarding this application must give the application number. Please direct all communications prior to issuance to Mail Stop ISSUE FEE unless advised to the contrary.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Utility patents issuing on applications filed on or after Dec. 12, 1980 may require payment of maintenance fees. It is patentee's responsibility to ensure timely payment of maintenance fees when due.

### PART B - FEE(S) TRANSMITTAL

Complete and send this form, together with applicable fee(s), to: Mail

Mail Stop ISSUE FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

e c

1

(571) 273-2885 or <u>Fax</u>

maintenance fee notifications.  CURRENT CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS (Note: Use Block 1 for any change of address)  21874 7590 12/15/2005				Note: A certificate of mailing can only be used for domestic mailings of the Fee(s) Transmittal. This certificate cannot be used for any other accompanying papers. Each additional paper, such as an assignment or formal drawing, much ave its own certificate of mailing or transmission.				
EDWARDS & A P.O. BOX:55874 BOSTON, MA 022	•			I hereby certify that States Postal Service addressed to the M transmitted to the US	Pertificate of Mailing or Trans this Fee(s) Transmittal is being e with sufficient postage for fire lail Stop ISSUE FEE address SPTO (571) 273-2885, on the d	mission g deposited with the United st class mail in an envelope above, or being facsimile ate indicated below.		
· ·						(Depositor's name)		
						(Signature)		
					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(Date)		
APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	1	FIRST NAMED INVI	ENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.		
09/851,885	05/09/2001		Yasushi Kubo	ta	70904-55845	4328 🙃 😇		
TITLE OF INVENTION: D APPARATUS USING THE	ATA SIGNAL LINE DRIVE C SAME	CIRCUIT, DRIV	VE CIRCUIT, IMA	GE DISPLAY DEVIC	E INCORPORATING THE SA	AME, AND ELECTRONIC		
APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FE	EE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE		
nonprovisional	NO	\$0		\$0	\$0	03/15/2006		
EXAM	IINER	ART UN	IT T	CLASS-SUBCLASS	and the section of th			
KOVALICK,	VINCENT E	2677		345-098000	<b>_</b>			
L. Change of correspondence	e address or indication of "Fee A	ddress" (37	2. For printing o	n the patent front page,	list	46		
CFR 1.363).		,	(1) the names o	f up to 3 registered pat	1			
Address form PTO/SB/12	lence address (or Change of Cort 22) attached.	respondence	or agents OR, al	• •	s a mamhar a 2	•		
☐ "Fee Address" indicat	ion (or "Fee Address" Indication or more recent) attached. Use of	ı form	registered attorney or agent) and the names of up to					
3. ASSIGNEE NAME AND	RESIDENCE DATA TO BE P	RINTED ON T	HE PATENT (prin	t or type)				
PLEASE NOTE: Unless recordation as set forth in	an assignee is identified below 37 CFR 3.11. Completion of the	, no assignee on is NOT	data will appear or a substitute for fil	the patent. If an assi	gnee is identified below, the d	ocument has been filed for		
(A) NAME OF ASSIGNEE			(B) RESIDENCE: (CITY and STATE OR COUNTRY)					
	assignee category or categories	<u>`                                      </u>			Corporation or other private gro	oup entity Government		
4a. The following fee(s) are enclosed:  ☐ Issue Fee			Payment of Fee(s)		onalasad			
Publication Fee (No small entity discount permitted)			☐ A check in the amount of the fee(s) is enclosed. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
Advance Order - # of Copies			The Director is hereby authorized by charge the required fee(s), or credit any overnayment, to					
•			Deposit Account N	lumber	(enclose an extra co	opy of this form).		
a. Applicant claims Sl	(from status indicated above) MALL ENTITY status. See 37 (				ALL ENTITY status. See 37 Cl			
The Director of the USPTO NOTE: The Issue Fee and Penterest as shown by the reco	is requested to apply the Issue F ublication Fee (if required) will ords of the United States Patent a	ee and Publicat not be accepted and Trademark	ion Fee (if any) or a from anyone other Office.	to re-apply any previou than the applicant; a re	asly paid issue fee to the applica egistered attorney or agent; or the	tion identified above. te assignee or other party,in		
Authorized Signature			Date					
			Registration No.					
This collection of information application. Confidential submitting the completed ap	on is required by 37 CFR 1.311. ty is governed by 35 U.S.C. 12: plication form to the USPTO. To reducing this burden, should nia 22313-1450. DO NOT SEN	The information 2 and 37 CFR 1 Fime will vary	n is required to obta 1.14. This collection depending upon the	ain or retain a benefit by n is estimated to take 1. e individual case. Any	y the public which is to file (and 2 minutes to complete, includin comments on the amount of tir	by the USPTO to process) g gathering, preparing, and ne you require to complete		



#### United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

€ 0.

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. FIRST NAMED INVENTOR CONFIRMATION NO. APPLICATION NO. FILING DATE 4328 09/851,885 05/09/2001 Yasushi Kubota 70904-55845 **EXAMINER** 12/15/2005 21874 EDWARDS & ANGELL, LLP KOVALICK, VINCENT E - -P.O. BOX 55874 ART UNIT BOSTON, MA 02205

2677
DATE MAILED: 12/15/2005

# Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)

(application filed on or after May 29, 2000)

The Patent Term Adjustment to date is 232 day(s). If the issue fee is paid on the date that is three months after the mailing date of this notice and the patent issues on the Tuesday before the date that is 28 weeks (six and a half months) after the mailing date of this notice, the Patent Term Adjustment will be 232 day(s).

If a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) was filed in the above-identified application, the filing date that determines Patent Term Adjustment is the filing date of the most recent CPA.

Applicant will be able to obtain more detailed information by accessing the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) WEB site (http://pair.uspto.gov).

Any questions regarding the Patent Term Extension or Adjustment determination should be directed to the Office of Patent Legal Administration at (571) 272-7702. Questions relating to issue and publication fee payments should be directed to the Customer Service Center of the Office of Patent Publication at (703) 305-8283.